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Listing of Relevant Documents

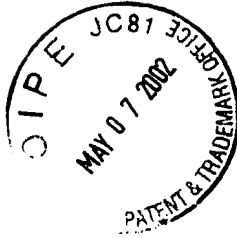
The relevant documents are listed in the attached Form PTO-1449.

Remarks

The listed reference were brought to applicants' attention by the attached recent European Search Report.

EP 0 122 367 and 0 133 510 are not available in English. Applicants hereby submit the European Search Report and an English-language translation of one which shows the relevancy of the cited prior art documents. It is believed that by submitting the search report and an English-language translation of the special categories of cited documents, applicants have satisfied the requirement for a concise explanation of the relevancy of this non-English language document. See "Notice of January 9, 1992", 1135 O.G. 13 (1992).

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